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PINTO CREEK'S GREAT WEALTH

Country About Headwaters of Pinto and Mineral Creeks Has Bright Future

NEW DOMINION COMPANY

Has Valuable Properties Adjacent to Gibson Mine—Hillside Bristle With the Camps of Active Prospectors—Rich Ores are Being Encountered

The Pinto Creek section of Globe Mining district is demanding a large share of public attention at this time and, "the fame thereof is going abroad throughout the land." The steady and profitable shipments of rich ore from the famous Gibson and Henderson mine have done much to contribute to the publicity which the district has attained but recent strikes of similar ore in many neighboring properties have served to broaden the field until this whole section is being recognized as an important factor in the future of Globe district.

The writer visited the Gibson mine on Monday last, after scouring the hills in the vicinity examining the geological conditions, exposed by the numerous prospect openings, and following the trend of the well defined ledges for miles on different parallels.

To judge by external indications—the outcroppings of rich ore on the surface of these ledges—there are many important ore deposits as yet uncovered, though many prospectors have long since passed the point where hope alone sustained them. Many of them have opened and followed veins of from two to fourteen inches of the kind of ore that only needs the force of a fair amount of capital to place the properties on the list of profitable producers.

New Dominion Mines Co.

A few hundred yards north of the Gibson hoisting plant are located the four claims of the New Dominion Mines Co., recently incorporated. These claims are traversed by four well defined ledges which may be traced readily about 4000 feet by the outcrop left exposed by the decomposed schist which is the country rock from the eastern lines of these claims to Mineral creek on the west. The formation is the same through a belt extending over a mile from north to south and from four to eight miles from east to west.

The ledges occur in parallel lines at distances of 50 to 100 or more feet apart, all having a uniform pitch toward the north. All of them appear to be mineralized and it is not necessary to go to great depths to locate ore of high grade. This fact is evidenced by the vast quantities of rich ore taken from the Gibson mine on the 200 level.

The claims of the New Dominion Co., are the Lady Bess, Maverick, Quickstep and Dandy, in order of location from east to west. The general trend of the ledges is from east to west, veering a few points to the north on the Maverick and Lady Bess and again to the southward after Mineral creek is crossed.

Work of Prospecting

Near the road and but a few hundred feet northwest of the Gibson shaft is an inclined shaft sunk to a depth of 265 feet. In the bottom of this shaft a four inch seam of rich black sulphide was encountered but further operations were suspended on account of the water which could no longer be handled by the whim.

On the whim platform about eight tons of ore that averaged better than 25 per cent is now sacked awaiting shipment when the condition of the roads will permit. The dump contains a large amount of lower grade ore taken out during the process of sinking the shaft.

On the Quickstep claim a shaft has been sunk 80 feet by means of a whip. This is to be replaced by the whim from the Maverick shaft. The indications in this shaft are even better than on the prospector's point of view than on the Maverick claim. The dump is strewn with rich chunks of ore, obtained at shallow depth and the mineral vein is well defined, the ledge matter, all mineralized being full width of the shaft.

It is the purpose of the management to sink this shaft at least 100 feet deeper. In earlier work a short crosscut was run on the Quickstep and the tunnel 265 feet in length drifted on the main ledge. Owing to improper timbering this tunnel, being in loose ledge matter, caved and has not been reopened. The prospector who did the work stated that at the tunnel breast a well defined vein of black sulphides was opened.

On the Dandy the development has been by open cuts and shallow openings on the ledges. Everywhere on the claims rich specimens of carbonates and oxidized ore may be obtained and wherever the force of water down the gulches has cut the covering from the ledges ore is exposed sufficiently to satisfy anybody that the deposit is regular and continuous the whole length of the claims.

Splendid Tunnel Site

The slope is very abrupt at that point where Mineral creek crosses the Dandy and a "Dandy" tunnel site is located above the danger of any inroads from mountain torrents. Here the main ledge is uncovered and a drift may be run in good ledge matter which would, in a distance of a 1000 feet, attain a depth of 800 feet from the apex of the main ledge near the line between the Dandy and Quickstep.

Assays from ore taken from all stages of the prospect work show from 8 to

28 per cent copper. Some of the ore assayed carries from four to nine ounces in silver and values of \$4 to \$9 in gold. The character of the ore indicates that considerable values in gold and silver will be uncovered from much of it which shows a lower per centage of copper.

The property is easy of access, the road being excellent (for a mountainous mining country) direct to the claims. The short stretch from the Gibson mine to the camp site on the Lady Bess is in good condition.

It is the opinion of those who have prospected this section for years that the ore bodies in these claims will be found identical with those of the Gibson at similar depth. The surface indications and developments thus far are certainly as favorable as on any of the claims in that vicinity.

Plans of the Company

The New Dominion company now proposes to practically open these ledges in a thorough manner, securing the walls as the work progresses and developing the property into a producer as rapidly as possible. Both the management and practical operations are in experienced hands, men who have prospected every foot of the ground and done the actual work thus far. The money will be intelligently and honestly expended in proper development.

For the purpose of raising \$5000, the amount estimated as necessary to open up the property and develop it to the producing point, the New Dominion company will sell from its treasury 50,000 shares of stock at ten cents per share. It is expected that the amount will be taken locally and at once, as Messrs. John and Ed. Whelan and Snyder & Sterns have many friends and followers who have confidence in their judgment, ability and conservatism and will avail themselves of the opportunity offered.

The officers of the company are E. P. Whelan, president; A. H. Sterns, vice president; A. W. Snyder, secretary and treasurer. Further details may be obtained from any of the above named.

O.D.'S. RECORD RUN MADE FOR THREE FURNACES

New Shaft to be Sunk Near Buffalo Ore House to Connect With the United Globe Workings

The output of the Old Dominion smelter has been maintained at a high rate during the month of November. For the first 28 days of the month the gross output was 2,700,000 of copper and to midnight tonight it is expected that full 2,900,000 pounds will have been produced. On Friday, November 24, a record run for three furnaces was made of 132,802 pounds of blister copper. Previous to that date the highest run was 130,452 pounds. Under favorable conditions from 100,000 to 120,000 pounds are produced each 24 hours. A new shaft is to be sunk at once on the O. D. property, located about 1200 feet east of the present shaft and 300 feet south of the Buffalo ore house. It will have two compartments each, 4x5 feet in the clear and will be carried to a depth of 1000 feet at least as fast as three shafts can sink it. It is expected that this will connect with the workings of the United Globe and tend to greatly lessen the congestion of traffic at the present O. D. shaft. Improvements and expansion are the order of the day at the Old Dominion.

LOCAL MINING NEWS

The Gibson & Henderson mine is being developed on broad and comprehensive lines. The main shaft has now attained a depth of 340 feet and a crosscut—the first ever made on the property—will soon be started from the foot to the main ledge traversing the claims purchased by the owners from Pasquale Nigro, from which much rich ore has already been shipped. A winze was sunk on the ledge from the 200 level to a depth of 150 feet, wholly in ledge matter carrying rich values in sulphides ores. While the hanging and foot walls are strong, clean and uniform, the ores are so decomposed that pick and shovel do the work both of extraction and development. Very little explosive is used in the mine. Seven men worked in ore for two months without firing a shot. About ten tons per day are sent to the O. D. smelter and the returns for October shipments average 24 per cent in copper. Some of the finest specimens of peacock ore ever taken from the ground were mined in the presence of the writer and will be sent to the permanent mineral exhibit at the Territorial fair. Today they are on exhibition in the window of Hanna's drug store. The future of this mine would seem to be limited only by the desire of its owners for wealth, for the ore practically in sight should furnish double the present output indefinitely.

The stockholders of the Consolidated Mines and Development company held a meeting Saturday night with a majority of all stock represented. The situation was fully discussed and it was decided that the shaft should be sunk 150 feet further before extensive crosscutting was essayed. The stockholders voted to place their holdings in escrow pending the sale of treasury stock to raise the necessary funds to carry the project forward on the above lines. Many of the original shareholders will take considerable blocks of the new issue for all have unbounded faith in the outcome of their venture.

A party of mining experts representing the interests of Augustus Heinze and associates are in the field to examine various of the properties in this vicinity. On Monday they visited the Pinto creek section, guests of Sam Gibson, who with Pollard Pearson and Henry Thompson accompanied them on a tour of the Pinto creek properties on Tuesday.

Teachers Institute

County Superintendent of Schools P. C. Robertson gives notice that the annual teachers' institute will be held in Globe December 27, 28 and 29, 1905.

FALL TERM OF COURT BEGINS

Routine Business Well Advanced and the Wheels of Justice Are Properly Oiled

FEW JURY TRIALS DEMANDED

Judge Nave Has Created a Most Favorable Impression Upon the Attorneys Who Predict That Business of Court Will Make Rapid Progress

The fall term of court for the fifth judicial district was opened on Monday, Judge Frederick S. Nave on the bench. No changes have been made in the personnel of court attaches and the wheels are properly lubricated for rapid work after this week.

Fortunately Judge Nave arrived ahead of the flood, but some of the attorneys and the government prosecutor, J. L. B. Alexander, have not yet put in an appearance. The calendar indicates that most of the "lights" of the Arizona bar will shine during this term of court in Globe.

Governors Kibbey, Herrin & Sorin, Herford & Hazzard, A. C. Baker and other prominent attorneys are counsel of record in cases on the calendar and all are expected to be present.

Monday was principally devoted to the setting of criminal cases for trial and a call of the civil calendar was for the hearing of motions, filing of demurrers and other dilatory action.

All defendant in custody or on bail on criminal charges were excused until Monday December 4. The grand jury will begin its sessions on that date.

Only four demurrers were made for jury trials in civil actions and about the same number in connection with cases handed down from the spring term. The indications are that the trial jury will not be overburdened with work.

The calendar will be called and hearings in all civil cases where a jury trial was not demanded.

Divorces Granted

In the case of Inez L. Warner vs. Charles C. Warner, a decree of divorce was granted plaintiff.

The application of Daisy Hayes for divorce from Edward Hayes on the ground of desertion was denied by the court.

In the case of Mary Kochevar vs. Mark Kochevar, suit for divorce, a restraining order was granted by the court against defendant to prevent the possible transfer of any community property pending the issue of the case.

United States Court

On Wednesday Robert Saunderson was admitted to citizenship in this great and glorious country after graduating in a course of instruction as to the duties and responsibilities of his obligation.

The cases of Chow Sam and Hom Dam, who were ordered deported by the U. S. immigration commissioner at Clifton, on appeal before this court, are set for Friday. They will be heard if U. S. Attorney Alexander succeeds in reaching the city.

Sacred Concert M. E. Church

The following program will be rendered at St. Paul's M. E. church Sunday, December 3, at the evening service under the direction of Mrs. Arkills; pianist Miss Allison.

Anthem.....Praise Ye Jehovah.....Burly Choir

Soprano—Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Markley, Miss Markley, Miss McNelly, Mrs. Arkills.

Alto—Mrs. Middleton, Mrs. Hammons, Mrs. Van Dyne.

Tenor—Messrs. James, Reed, Bowden, Richards.

Basso—Messrs. Benbow and Johns.

Solo.....Miss Markley

Quartet.....Nearer My God, to Thee Mrs. Hammons, Mrs. Arkills, Messrs. James, Benbow.

Solo.....Waft Her, Angels, Through the Skies.....Handel

H. Richards

Duet.....Jesus Lover of My Soul.....Mrs. Arkills and Mrs. Hammons

Male Quartet.....God Bless My Boy Messrs. James, Richards, Benbow and Johns.

Cornet Solo.....The Lost Chord.....Mr. Haskin

Anthem.....Toil and Rest.....Beirly Choir

Solo.....Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep Mr. Benbow

Male Quartet.....Good Night My Brother.....Main Messrs. James, Benbow, Richards and Johns.

Solo.....Selected.....Mr. Bowden

Duet.....Selected.....Mrs. Markley, Miss Markley

Solo.....Rock of Ages.....Mr. James

Anthem.....Glory Be to God.....Choir

Returning Thanks

We wish to thank all our friends and the general public for the encouragement given our efforts to establish a high class jewelry store in Globe and a reputation for our goods and business methods.

We thank you all for the liberal patronage that has been our portion ever since our debut in the city and we accept these favors as an obligation upon us to continue improving our stock and service in every way possible.

We thank you for the confidence shown us and the fact that you have demonstrated your appreciation of our endeavors to do right as a matter of principle and choice.

workmanship and prices perfectly satisfactory, have given us that best of advertising—their commendation by word of mouth—their personal indorsement.

We thank the manufacturers and wholesale merchants who have assisted by placing their best offerings before us and thus made it possible to challenge comparison with other markets to our advantage.

In conclusion we thank our critics for calling attention to possible avenues of improvement and details that may be corrected for hereafter we shall be better qualified and prepared to serve you,—and you,—and you.

GLOBE JEWELRY CO.

Nov. 30, 1905.

Danced Despite the Weather

Monday night was the date selected for a dance under the united auspices of the Non Nobis Solum and Uno Animo clubs which undoubtedly would have been the most successful affair of the kind during the season, had not Jupiter Pluvius butted in unceremoniously and attempted to drown all who ventured outside of doors. As it was a goodly number defied him to do his worst and danced in spite of the downpour and all who braved the danger of a severe wetting had a delightful time. If numbers were lacking the gaiety was not one whit abated.

Making Rapid Progress

The complete renovation and remodeling of premises by Oates, Scoble & Co. is progressing rapidly despite the fact that their trade is daily on the increase. Today the show windows attracted much attention from passersby on account of the toothsome dainties offered and the artistic array. It is their purpose to keep the whole establishment up to the high standard of these samples. The best will not be on the outside by any means. When the new interior fittings and fixtures arrive this will be one of the most attractive establishments in the territory. "Watch us grow."

McKEVITT HOMESTEAD SOLD TO CORPORATION

Will be Made a Residence Addition to Globe—Largest Realty Deal for Many Years

One of the largest and most important land deals ever consummated in Globe was perfected last week when F. L. Toombs and associates purchased the McKevitt homestead and adjoining property. The property will be surveyed and platted and lots be placed on the market in a short time. This tract is one of the most favorably located in Globe and will provide a needed overflow for the better class of residence structures. The desirable ground on the heights is being rapidly bought up and improved and yet the demand cannot be satisfied. Enquiry for choice lots is already brisk. The East Globe Realty and Development Co., will be incorporated to handle this purchase which embraces several hundred acres. The deal involves a large amount of cash beside the sum needed to develop and place the tract on the market. Some of the shrewdest and wealthiest men in Globe are interested in the deal and have again demonstrated the fact that "home folks" have absolute faith in the growth of the city.

THEY DIDN'T MISS IT

Amateurs Acquired Themselves Most Creditably

The specialty entertainment given by local talent at the Opera House last night filled the house with an appreciative audience who were unanimous in their approval of the melange offered. It was the general opinion that few shows given in Globe within the past two years could compare with it for all around excellence. The people went because they "saw yo' ad in de papuh" and they were glad they did not miss it. The musical numbers were acceptably rendered and received much merited applause. The literary features were pronounced successes, and the local original skit made telling hits that were quickly appreciated. To particularize when all participating did so well would be to make invidious distinctions. Whenever the managers desire to repeat the venture they will be met by "standing room only."

To Build Foot Bridge

The people of North Globe want a foot bridge across Pinal creek and propose to have it before long. The townsite committee on streets and highways are asking for proposals and intending bidders can secure all information by applying to R. H. Daniel at the Mountain View House. The need is very apparent and recent storms have emphasized the necessity of immediate action.

Explanatory

The dearth of news in this issue of SILVER BELT is hereby explained but not apologized for. The prosperity of the whole district is responsible, solely. Advertisers have nearly elbowed the news man out of the columns and as publication day came this year on Tuesday we could not conscientiously ask the printers to work day and night and also delay publication just to print a supplement. No mail, no telegrams, no exchanges, "nothin' doin'."

The Pullman has annexed the Globe Cigar Factory and is booming trade up to the high pressure notch. The "Globe Miner" five cent cigar is gaining favor rapidly and the merchants generally are handling them with great success. Ed Grider is pushing the business with his accustomed energetic methods.

E. F. Eisenhower, president of the Rye Copper Co., left on Sunday for the east on a business tour. He intended to eat Thanksgiving turkey with relatives at Madison, Kansas, and resume his eastward journey at once, to be absent several weeks.

OFF THE EARTH FOUR LONG DAYS

All Communication With the Outside World Ceased Monday Wires all Down

RUMOR'S TONGUE GETS BUSY

If all Tales Were True the Original Flood Would Have Been an April Shower in Comparison—Smelter Has Big Stock of Necessary Fuel, etc.

"The rain descended and the floods came and beat upon"—all this section of Arizona from Sunday evening until Tuesday morning, accompanied by fierce wind storms, covering the high places with a white blanket and raising the Gila and Salt rivers to record notches. Ruin and devastation was in the pathway of the flood and yet the damage seems to have been confined principally to the railways and the government work at Roosevelt.

In Globe little damage was done, not as much as during the first heavy summer rain. A section of trestle and track below Banker's Garden was displaced but has been repaired. The waters of Pinal creek did not rise enough to flood any of the houses in the wash section and but little harm resulted to buildings in course of erection.

The principal danger, so far as Globe is concerned, lies in the fact that stocks of many necessities are quite low; the fuel supply is not adequate to fill any prolonged gap in supplies.

The O. D. smelter has supplies of ore coke, coal and fuel oil for about thirty days and no great inconvenience will be felt nor is there danger of a shut down, as normal shipments will probably be resumed within ten days or two weeks.

The Bridge at Carlos

A large section of the G. V. G. & N. bridge at San Carlos went out on Monday and with it went telephone and telegraph wires and up to noon today Globe's world (so far as news is concerned) was bounded on the south by the Gila river at San Carlos. It was expected that passengers may be transferred at that point during the day as the waters have receded nearly to the normal point. It will be several days before the bridge can be repaired to admit of a resumption of freight traffic though passengers, mail and express will not be long interrupted.

Rise in Salt River

Reports from Roosevelt say that the river was six feet higher in the gorge than it was during last year's floods; that a large section of the power canal is utterly destroyed; that some pilings placed by O'Rourke & Co's. men were swept away and a pile driver lost.

County roads in all directions are badly washed in places and large repair gangs are at work in the hope of restoring communication at once. Ore shipments from Pinto creek and interlying district have been wholly stopped and supplies of various kinds are short in most of the camps. Miami Flat was a lake on Monday night, three feet of water flooding a wide area, doing much damage to roads and camps. If the storms are not repeated traffic will reach the normal stage again early next week.

Rumors of Disaster

A rumor has gained credence today that the new steel bridge of the Santa Fe at Tempe was carried out by the flood in the Salt river. It is also believed that Phoenix suffered heavily. It is among the possibilities that the Territorial Fair may be postponed, for if Cave creek has again broken its banks the fair grounds have probably been flooded. At Geronimo it is said that the buildings of the town suffered serious damage, the railroad track alone remaining intact. A train has reached the Gila from the south and it is probable that a train will be started from Globe in the morning and a transfer of passengers and mail be effected.

Latest Information

The telegraph line was laid over the Gila today but when tested it was discovered that there was a ground or break south of San Carlos. No wire communication between Roosevelt and Phoenix had been established at the time of going to press.

All efforts to get passengers across the Gila today proved abortive but the attempt will be made tomorrow. Meantime several traveling men ate their Thanksgiving dinners in Globe today who had their programs arranged otherwise.

As soon as wire communication is established the SILVER BELT will bulletin the news as it comes to hand. Watch the bulletins!

The many friends of J. H. Keenan will be glad to learn that after three weeks illness he was able to return to work this week.

Baptist Services

Services will be held in the new Baptist church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday next. Young people's union at 6:45 p. m.; Sunday school at 3 p. m. The public is invited to attend these, the first regular services in the new church.

Firemen to Organize

A letter has been received by the fire department officials from J. A. She-

field, chief of the Jerome fire company suggesting that local action be taken to send a delegate to a proposed meeting to be held in the near future at some central point to be selected. It is proposed that a territorial organization of firemen be perfected to co-operate with the National Firemen's association that both paid and volunteer organizations may profit thereby.

Cowboy's Carnival

In next week's issue of the SILVER BELT the managers of the "Cowboy's Krismus Karnival" will announce their program for Christmas week and it will be a "corker". The prizes offered will exceed in value those held up for any previous attraction. There'll be something doing every minute and a week of rare sport is looked forward to. If the weather is propitious there will be a large attendance from Roosevelt and the valley.

A Patriarch Dead

The Mesa Free Press chronicles the death of Benjamin Franklin Johnson in that town November 18, aged 87 years, 3 months and 19 days. The funeral services were attended by four generations of his descendants. He was prominent in the Mormon church having filled two foreign missions. He was at one time confidential secretary to Joseph Smith. His descendants and their families are believed to number about 800 persons.

Miss Suella McCann en route from Missouri to visit her cousin G. W. P. Hunt, has been detained at Bowie for two days by the washouts. She is expected to arrive here tomorrow night.

W. R. Martin, Supt. of the G. V. G. & N. has been quite ill, threatened with pneumonia, but is recovering rapidly. Today his condition is very satisfactory to his physician and family.

W. E. Phipps, an attorney from Medford, Oregon, has been here since last Saturday. He is pleased with Globe and after visiting other cities in Arizona, may decide to return and locate here.

THEATRICAL OUTLOOK OPERA HOUSE LEASED

Eastern Syndicate Will Add the Globe House to the Arizona Circuit Next Season

A five years lease on the Opera House has been granted to an eastern theatrical syndicate which will take effect January 20. It is stated that the lessees will remodel the building, put in a new front, an inclined floor, add a gallery and furnish with opera chairs throughout. Popular prices will prevail, the scale being from 15 to 35 cents and it is the intention of the new management to give nightly performances. The circuit will embrace the principal cities of the territory and performances of a higher grade than heretofore will be heard and seen. This deal will deprive Globe of its present main reliance for dancing, but local enterprise will soon remedy this deficiency. In fact the matter is already under advisement by local capitalists.

In writing his Thanksgiving proclamation Governor Kibbey should have remembered that turkey day is often followed by crow day and prepared his digestive organs accordingly.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Of Globe Lodge B. P. O. E. No. 489, Sunday, December 3

The annual ceremonies connected with memorial day in Elk lodges will be observed by Globe Lodge B. P. O. E. No. 489, in Odd Fellows Hall Sunday, December 3, at 2 o'clock p. m. Cards of invitation have been issued and a program prepared which excels in excellence any heretofore presented. An orchestra under the direction of Prof. Thomas Vincent, will render the "Elks' Memorial March," composed by him and dedicated to Globe lodge.

Rev. Franklin Davis will offer the invocation. The eulogy will be pronounced by Geo. R. Hill; thanatopsis by Laurence Tulloch and G. P. Bullard, of Phoenix Lodge No. 355, will deliver an address on the "Brotherhood of Elks."

The musical numbers will be rendered by leading soloists of Globe, assisted by Globe Concert Band Orchestra, and Mrs. L. C. Coombs, accompanist.

Seven names are now on roll of departed members of Globe Lodge No. 489: Clifford Welch, W. K. Katzenstein, James Parks, H. J. Windmiller, Charles Simes, Victor B. Bloom, C. M. Ezekiel, whose memory will be honored by these impressive services.

Radium Mines Company

Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Radium Mines Co. by W. H. Mercer, Alfred Kinney, W. H. Butler, John L. Alexander and T. Shields Collins. The capital stock is \$5,000,000, divided into 500,000 shares, par value \$10. The principal office of the company is in Globe and the purpose of the incorporators is to develop valuable claims near the city.

W. F. Ingram, auditor of the Randolph lines in Arizona is in the city on a business trip.

Sheriff Hunt, of Cochise county, was a visitor in Globe last week.

The SILVER BELT force acknowledges the receipt of a box of choice cigars from the Pullman Cigar store today.

The Arizona Bankers' Association which convened at Prescott November 18, passed strong resolutions commendatory of any legislation looking to joint statehood.

The Yuma Sun has been transformed into a daily, the first to be published in that thriving city. Mulford Winsor is nothing if not progressive.

Herbert J. Hagerman, of Roswell has been appointed by the president to succeed M. A. Otero as governor of New Mexico. Now Rodey will not care whether that territory is married, divorced or forever remain, "as she was before she were."